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III. Information received from Member States

Qatar

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Since the State of Qatar does not possess weapons of mass destruction and it abides by the conventions that prohibit them, its armament expenditures represent a limited part of the regular budget of the State. This expenditure is aimed at maintaining the State's security and independence. The major part of the regular budget is devoted to economic and social development. This has had an effect on the per capita income of Qatari citizens, who enjoy one of the highest in the region.